

Docket No.: 074782-0022

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 53080
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Tohru SAITOH, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 8353
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Application No.: 10/588,605	:	Group Art Unit: 2818
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Filed: August 07, 2006	:	Examiner: HUYNH, ANDY
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For: SEMICONDUCTOR NANOWIRE AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE INCLUDING THE NANOWIRE		

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 14, 2009, wherein a three-month shortened statutory period for response is set to expire on July 14, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.